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## STATE LAWS AND REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HEALTH.

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### ALASKA.

#### Rabies—Prevention of—Killing of Dogs Under Certain Conditions. (Chap. 37, Act Apr. 28, 1915.)

SECTION 1. It shall be lawful for any person at any time to kill any vicious or mad dog found running at large.

SEC. 2. Any dog which when unprovoked has ever bitten or attacked a human being shall be deemed vicious in contemplation of section 1 of this act.

SEC. 3. Whenever any dog habitually annoys reindeer, sheep, cattle or horses or other domestic animals or domestic fowls or evinces a disposition which renders it likely that it will without provocation bite such animals or fowls, it shall be lawful for any person to kill such dog, when at large: *Provided, however,* That the owner or keeper of such dog, if known, or upon reasonable inquiry may be known, shall be notified and given reasonable opportunity to restrain such dog before it shall become lawful to kill it under the provisions of this section.

#### Health Officers and Local Boards of Health—Expenses of. (Chap. 48, Act Apr. 28, 1915.)

Section 15<sup>1</sup> of chapter 42, Alaska Session Laws of 1913, was repealed April 28, 1915. The section repealed reads as follows:

SEC. 15. *Expenses.*—Any necessary expenses incurred by any health officer or local board of health in the enforcement of this act outside of incorporated towns shall be paid, upon approval by the district judge, from funds derived from fines and forfeitures in the Territory of Alaska.

#### Foodstuffs—Serving of, More than Once Prohibited—Inspection—Condemnation of Unwholesome. (Chap. 36, Act Apr. 28, 1915.)

SECTION 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person in the Territory of Alaska to serve to any other person for pay any article of food or drink or any portion thereof which has theretofore been served to any person; and any person who violates any of the provisions of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment in jail for not more than six months or by a fine of not more than \$100, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SEC. 2. That in all villages and towns, incorporated or otherwise, in the Territory of Alaska, all restaurants, lunch counters, hotels, bake shops, meat markets, fish markets, and all other places where food is served or sold, shall be inspected by a food inspector, to be appointed by the constituted authorities of such town or village, who shall have the power to condemn all articles of food and drink, whether prepared or otherwise, found by such inspector to be impure, dangerous to health, or otherwise unfit for food purposes; and any person who shall, after such articles shall have been so condemned, sell or serve to any person any of such condemned articles, for food

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<sup>1</sup> Reprint No. 264 from the P. H. R., p. 16.